

House Resolution No. 1731

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives feel it is altogether fitting and proper to pause from time to time to recognize individuals and organizations that have contributed to the welfare of this great state and its citizens or distinguished themselves through significant personal achievement, particularly its young people; and

Whereas, the members now pause to recognize Brittain Kai Shank, who has earned the distinction of being nominated for the People to People Forum in Washington, D.C.; and

Whereas, a fourth-grade student at Marionville Elementary School who will be ten years old this May, Brittain Kai Shank was nominated by her teacher Michael Lee; and

Whereas, Brittain Kai Shank is a member of the Marionville Elementary Honors Choir; a member of the Youth Choir at the First United Methodist Church in Marionville; a member of the Second Baptist Church in Springfield, Missouri; and a member of the Cheerleading Squad for the Marionville Mighty-Mites; and

Whereas, even at her tender age, Brittain Kai Shank has distinguished herself by making the “A” Honor Roll in the first quarter of the fourth grade; being the top speller in class in January 2008; having won the “Student with Character” of the month in March 2008; scoring “advanced” in mathematics on the MAP (Measures of Academic Progress) Test in 2007 (97th percentile in the nation); scoring “proficient” in science on the MAP Test in 2007 (95th percentile in the nation), and scoring “advanced” in communication arts on the MAP Test in 2007 (88th percentile in the nation); and

Whereas, Brittain Kai Shank is the beloved daughter of Shannon Shank and Kristie Boehne, treasured step-daughter of Heath Boehne, loyal sister of Justise Boehne and Zander Boehne, and prized granddaughter of Joyce and William Shank and Voletta and Johnny Anderson:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join to extend our most sincere congratulations to Brittain Kai Shank on the occasion of her nomination to the People to People Forum, with our best wishes for every success in the future; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Brittain Kai Shank.

Offered by _____
Representative Charlie Denison
District No. 135

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 1731, adopted April 10, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker